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## SUBMISSION OF SEQUENCE LISTING IN COMPUTER READABLE FORM

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated April 5, 2000, please amend the above application as follows and consider the following remarks:

## IN THE SPECIFICIATION:

On the page following the claims and abstract, please delete the sequence listing and insert the attached sequence listing.

## REMARKS

Responsive to the Official Action dated April 5, 2000, Applicant submits the sequence listing in both paper and computer readable forms. Applicant submits that the contents of the paper and computer

readable forms of the sequence listing are identical and in compliance with the sequence requirements of 37 CFR § 1.821 through § 1.825. No new matter has been added.

Respectfully submitted, RATNER & PRESTIA

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